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Subj: LEVEL-3 CAREER SEA PAY TO PERSONNEL SERVING IN THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA OR PERSIAN GULF IN DIRECT SUPPORT OF OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM

Ref: (a) [E-Mail ALPERSRU D/03](#)

Introduction	This E-mail ALPERSRU announces that Level-3 Career Sea Pay (CSEAPAY) is payable to members performing sea duty aboard vessels operating in the Mediterranean Sea in direct support of Operation Iraqi Freedom.
Discussion	<p>Reference (a) announced that Level-3 CSEAPAY was payable to members performing sea duty (in a permanent <u>or</u> temporary duty status) aboard vessels operating in the Persian Gulf in support of Operation Enduring Freedom.</p> <p>Commandant (G-WPM) has determined that Level-3 CSEAPAY is also payable to members performing sea duty (in a permanent <u>or</u> temporary duty status) aboard vessels operating in the Mediterranean Sea in direct support of Operation Iraqi Freedom.</p> <p>Eligibility for the higher rate of CSEAPAY commences on the date a member begins operations in a qualifying area, and terminates on the date a member leaves a qualifying area.</p>
HRSIC Notification	If a vessel is scheduled to deploy In-Theater, the servicing PERSRU shall send an E-Mail to HRSIC-CST@hrsic.uscg.mil providing the name, OPFAC and Department ID number of the vessel and the actual date of arrival In-Theater. HRSIC-CST shall update the Department Table to reflect the vessel's eligibility for Level 3 CSEAPAY. The PERSRU shall also notify HRSIC, via E-Mail, when the vessel departs the Theater of Operations.
PERSRU Action	Level-3 CSEAPAY shall be started/stopped by PERSRUs in Direct Access as prescribed in reference (a) .

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Questions Questions may be directed to HRSIC Customer Service at (785) 339-3540 or
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